BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of:	
Robert J. PRUETT et al.	Group Art Unit: 1755
Application No.: 10/531,257) Examiner: Shuangyi Abu Ali
Filed: November 18, 2005)
For: FINE PLATY KAOLIN COMPOSITION) Confirmation No.: 4840)
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NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 41.31

Sir

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's decision mailed July 25, 2007.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- Applicant petitions for a three-month extension of time, based on the mailing date of the outstanding Office Action. The petition fee for that extension of \$1.050.00 is enclosed.
- 2. The Notice of Appeal Fee of \$510.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Notice of Appeal and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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